

STATE MARYLAND ✓	COUNTY Baltimore City County		TOWN OR VICINITY Baltimore (1400 W. Lexington St.) 9p 8d
INDEX NUMBER MD. 4-BALT, III	MONUMENT ✓ Aged Women's Home		
REPRESENTED IN NEGATIVE FILE	H.A.B.S. SURVEY NO. MD-183	<u>History</u> - This Gothic Revival structure, designed by Thomas	
PUBLISHED PHOTOGRAPHS	Dixon and built 1849-1850, is an early ex-		
PUBLISHED DRAWINGS	ample of a building expressly erected to house the aged. It was demolished in July 1959.		
		<u>Description</u> - Brick, three stories and elevated basement, brick porch and two-story bay window; the essential element of the interior design is a three-story	

hall with balconies lighted from above by a clerestory.

References - Handbill, dated Baltimore, Jan. 23, 1802, in possession of the Baltimore Humane Impartial Society. Statutes of Maryland, 1849 (ch. 33) and 1864 (ch. 394). Baltimore American, Dec. 11, 1848. Baltimore Sun, June 4, 1850. Letters from carpenters in possession of the Baltimore Humane Impartial Society.

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